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We Lead! Others Follow!

All because we buy for cash and sell for cash. We study the wants of the general public and do not buy trashy goods that have been discarded by first-class merchants time and again. For the month of December we will sell goods at the following low prices:

DRY GOODS DEPT.

The very best Ameskeg Gingham at 5 cents per yard.

Unbleached muslin one yard wide at 4 1/2 cents per yard.

The very best fast colors comforter print at 6 1/2 cents per yard.

Indigo blue prints at 5 cents.

The best cotton bats at 7 cents per roll.

German blue prints at 8 1/2 cents.

The very best oil fast colors prints at 6 cents per yard.

Double width dress goods one yard wide at 12 1/2 cents.

The best velveteens in all colors at 37 1/2 cents per yard.

Seven spools of thread for 25 cts.

Good blankets at 65 cts. per pair.

Shawls at \$2.25.

All wool red flannel at 20 cents per yard.

SHOE DEPT.

Ladies' fine shoes, patent tips, \$1.25.

Children's school shoes from 75 cents up.

Men's boots at \$1.25.

Men's felts at 90 cents.

Men's shoes in lace or congress at \$1.25.

Paden Bros. fine shoes, every pair guaranteed, from \$1.85 up.

Remember all these goods are new and clean, and you will find your sizes and measure perfect. You will not get one shoe No. 4 and the other No. 5. One of our competitors boasted in last week's paper about being such an honorable and straightforward merchant. In proverb, King Solomon said that you should be praised by others and not by yourself. I can show a record in the various places I have done business that I have always dealt square with my customers and always paid a hundred cents on the dollar and can back it by some of the largest wholesale dealers in the United States, and this is more than the boasting merchant can do. I never had any fire lawsuits or any other lawsuits trying to beat my creditors. Let those boasting merchants go and look up their record and they will never again boast about being honorable and straight. So far as competition is concerned, such competition we do not recognize for we are only selling and buying the very best goods that are made in the country; whereas those boasting merchants are buying up all the trash that is discarded by first-class merchants and trying to make the public believe they are selling at a big loss. We do not propose to answer every statement made by such merchants as it is a waste of time, for the public know when they see first-class goods, and appreciate square dealings.

Yours for bargains.

The Boston Store,

The only Cheap Store with Good Goods in Lincoln County.

JULIUS RIZER, PROPRIETOR.

North Platte National Bank

NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.

Paid up Capital, \$75,000.

DIRECTORS: W. W. BIRGE, A. D. BUCKWORTH, D. W. BAKER, H. SCHUFF, M. C. LINDSAY, M. OBERST, A. F. STREITZ, H. OTTEN.

All business entrusted to us handled promptly, carefully, and at lowest rates.

The Almighty Dollar.

Don't pay other people's debts.

DAVIS

Is the ONLY Hardware Man in North Platte that NO ONE OWES. You will always find my price right.

Still Selling

Yours for Business, A. L. DAVIS.



DEALER IN—Hardware, Tinware, Stoves, Sporting Goods, Etc.

Dr. N. McCABE, Prop.

J. E. BUSH, Manager.

NORTH PLATTE PHARMACY,

[Successor to J. Q. Thacker.]

NORTH PLATTE, - NEBRASKA.

WE AIM TO HANDLE THE BEST GRADE OF GOODS,

SELL THEM AT REASONABLE PRICES, AND WARRANT

EVERYTHING AS REPRESENTED.

Orders from the country and along the line of the Union Pacific Railway Solicited.

GUYS PLACE

FINEST SAMPLE ROOM IN NORTH PLATTE

Having refitted our rooms in the finest of style, the public is invited to call and see us, insuring courteous treatment.

Finest Wines, Liquors and Cigars at the Bar.

Our billiard hall is supplied with the best make of tables and competent attendants will supply all your wants.

KEITH'S BLOCK, OPPOSITE THE UNION PACIFIC DEPOT

THE LOCAL DRAG-NET.

Items of Interest Transpiring the Latter Part of the Week.

OSCAR FINE SENTENCED—DR. WARNER SURPRISED—ALFALFA A GREAT CROP—OUR NEW HOTELS—OTHER NEWS.

OSCAR FINE SENTENCED. Oscar Fine, who had his hearing in the district court last week on the charge of burglarizing the house of Mrs. Emmons and taking therefrom a lot of bed clothing, was found guilty and received a sentence of one year in the Lincoln penitentiary. Oscar seems to harbor the impression that he is innocent of the crime; and that the guilt lies on the head of another party, as attested by the following letter which is published verbatim and literatim:

NORTH PLATTE, Nov. 22, 1894. TO THE TRIBUNE. As I have been sentenced to the state prison I will put a little epistle in the paper they have got a lot of pugnacious to send me to prison while the guilty person to the crime I am alleged as I had at one time a good many friends in North Platte but this shadow which has fallen at my door, but I truly hope the truth will soon be found out soon for a great many people think I am guilty and others think differently and the man that has sent me to the prison is guilty of numerous crimes and he will end up in the pen though as god be my witness I am innocent of the crime alleged me.

OSCAR FINE.

GAVE WARNER A SURPRISE. The fact that Dr. E. B. Warner belongs to eleven or seventeen secret societies does not deter him from taking an active part in the meetings of each, and there is no man in town who has been honored with so many lodge offices as the Doctor. In view of the interest he has taken in the Imp. Order of Red Men, he was recently elected to the highest state office in that order, and the local members together with the maidens of the Pocahontas tribe feeling that this honor was duly appreciated by them, gave him a surprise party on Wednesday evening of last week. The event took place at the lodge room and was very largely attended, those attending taking with them a wagon load or so of provisions such as is palatable to all red men and maidens. It was a gathering in which mirth ran riot and happiness reigned supreme. The Gordon cornet band added to the pleasures of the evening by furnishing some excellent music.

A GOOD PAYING CROP. "I am feeling pretty good just now," remarked W. O. Thompson, a successful ditch farmer, Friday as he renewed his subscription to this journal. "over the result obtained from my seven acres of alfalfa. I let the last growth go to seed, and from that seven acre patch I threshed eighty-six bushels of seed. This seed is now selling for \$5.00 per bushel, and may go to



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And Perfect in Their Action,

AYER'S PILLS

Never fail to relieve Dyspepsia, Constipation, and Headache.

"I have proved the value of Ayer's Pills in relieving dyspepsia and headache, with which complaints I was so long troubled that neither the doctor nor myself supposed I should ever be well again. Through the use of the above medicine I am better than I have been for years."—C. A. GASKILL, Versailles, Ill.

"I have used Ayer's Pills for 15 years as a cathartic in liver complaint, and always with extremely beneficial effect, never having had need of other medicine. I also give Ayer's Pills to my children, when they require an aperient, and the result is always most satisfactory."—A. A. EATON, Centre Conway, N.H.

"Having been severely afflicted with constiveness, I was induced to try Ayer's Pills. Their use has effected a complete cure, and I can confidently recommend them to all similarly afflicted."—C. A. WHITMAN, Nipomo, Cal.

AYER'S PILLS

Received Highest Awards AT THE WORLD'S FAIR

COMPOSITION ON A BOY.

A boy is a man before he is grown up. But his pants only run down to his knees. A boy is a very useful article. His usefulness comes in when his big sister wants him to run an errand; but his principal usefulness is in wearing out clothes, especially pants. Some boys wear out one pair each season. Others wear out two every week. The cut below illustrates a happy boy. Why is he happy? Because his mother has bought



This outfit consists of a Double Breasted Coat, two (2) pairs of pants, and the latest style Stanley Cap of same material. Extra buttons with every outfit. The goods are of most excellent and stylish fabrics especially adapted for service, and we can sell you the whole outfit as cheap as you can buy the bare suit from other dealers. Buy our Stanley Combination for your boys and make them happy.

MODEL CLOTHING HOUSE

Max Einstein, Prop.

\$6.00. Four hundred and thirty dollars revenue from seven acres is not bad. THE TRIBUNE man looks pretty good on Mr. Thompson's alfalfa. Mr. Thompson will seed forty acres of alfalfa next spring, and the product of that tract is sure to bring him a revenue that any man might be proud to possess. In street slang, "alfalfa is the stuff."

NORTH PLATTE HOTELS.

North Platte is better supplied with good hotels than almost any other town of twice its size in the west. Four hostleries, with accommodations for two hundred guests, invite the patronage of the people who live in and visit the city. On Saturday last Oberst & Bretnitz formally opened the Nebraska House and gave a dinner which would do credit to a Delmonico. This house has been renovated and refurnished and presents a neat and inviting appearance, and we predict will do a good business under the new management. J. C. Federhoof opened the new Hotel Neville the latter part of the week, moving in before the building was finished in detail. These latter improvements have since been completed, and a formal and appetizing opening dinner will be given to-morrow. The hotel presents an appearance that must prove inviting to the tired and hungry traveler. In addition to these hotels we have the Pacific and the Hotel Central, both of which are well conducted.

HAD NO CASE.

The case of the State of Nebraska against C. S. Clinton, wherein the defendant was charged with promoting a lottery, came up for hearing in the district court Friday. After the examination of one or two witnesses, the jury was excused, and the law in regard to lotteries and its bearing on the case was argued before Judge Neville, who decided that the prosecution had no case. He subsequently wrote a verdict acquitting the defendant of the charge. The result of the case is no doubt a keen disappointment to the informant, who caused the arrest apparently through business jealousy. The county will foot the bill of a couple hundred dollars cost.

COMPANY E, BANQUET.

On Friday evening last Company E, Nebraska National Guards, was given an informal spread by the W. A. P. A. Keith's hall, which is used as a drill room by the company, was occupied that evening, and the company descended to the street and went through military evolutions on Spruce street, marching back and forth in platoons, company front, etc. Quite a large crowd witnessed and enjoyed this event. After the drill the ladies of

25 Per Cent Off.

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MILLINERY AT RENNIE'S.

New Fall Goods to be Sacrificed.

We offer all our elegant stock at one-fourth off on the dollar.

Millinery Sale at Rennie's.

The W. A. P. A. invited the boys into the store room formerly occupied by McChesney, where a nice luncheon was served. During the evening several short speeches were made.

A BLAST FROM GRAND ISLAND.

Anent the Nathan meetings at Grand Island, the daily Independent of that place gives the noted revivalist the following blast: Nathan's blasphemous reference to the Catholic confessional, last night, ought to disgust any person with a heart filled with christian grace. His abuse of the Episcopalians, whom he asserted did not claim to be christians was equally as disgusting. If Nathan is to be considered a fair exponent of "true christians," and a follower of the Lord, "what would Christ think" if he should appear and find such a disciple creating dissension among our christian people. For the peace and good of North Platte and other places who have Nathan booked for a few nights at the opera house, we would advise them to declare the show off.

MINOR NEWS.

—C. L. Adams returned yesterday from a trip to Omaha.

—The Oberstians will give a dance at the opera house this Wednesday evening.

—Sam Adams is making some improvements to his residence on west Fifth street.

—Miss Carrie Belton is in Omaha having her eyes examined, from which source she has had more or less trouble recently.

—A stimulant is often needed to nourish and strengthen the roots and to keep the hair a natural color. Hall's Hair Renewer is the best tonic for the hair.

—A. D. Williams is now owner of the handsome residence on the corner of Fourth and Vine streets, having purchased the same of Judge Neville last week. As Mr. W. did not purchase the house to rent, it looks very much as though he expects to be a benedict in the near future.

—A cup of muddy coffee is not wholesome, neither is a bottle of muddy medicine. One way to know a reliable and skillfully-prepared blood-purifier is by its freedom from sediment. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is always bright and sparkling, because it is an extract and not a decoction.

THE Y. M. C. A. CONFERENCE.

Program of the Meeting to held in this City December 1st and 2d.

Following is the program of the "workers' conference" of the Young Men's Christian Associations embracing the west part of the state, which will be held in this city on Saturday and Sunday next:

SATURDAY MORNING, PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—10:00, prayer and praise service; 10:15, address of welcome; 10:30, addresses by delegates and informal reception to delegates and citizens of North Platte; 11:00, bible reading, personal work; 11:30, adjournment.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON, PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—2:00, devotional service; 2:15, Our relation to the Association both as individuals and as a community; 3:00, Dusty and Unthumbed Bibles—cause, sin, cure; 4:00, Nature and manner of Work in small towns; 4:20, discussion; 4:45, adjournment.

SATURDAY EVENING, M. E. CHURCH—7:15, song service; 7:30, The Model Y. M. C. A., or the Young Men Four Square, E. B. Henderson, Omaha.

SUNDAY MORNING, Y. M. C. A. Rooms—9:30 to 10:15, Fellowship meeting.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON—4:15, at Keith's Hall. What can a Man Do? By E. B. Henderson of Omaha. 4:15 at Baptist Church. What can a Boy Do? by John W. Hogue of Grand Island. 4:15 at Lutheran Church. What can a Woman Do? by Harry L. Markell of Fremont.

SUNDAY EVENING, KEITH'S HALL—7:15, Song Service, H. V. Hilliker of North Platte; 7:30, union meeting, Evangelistic address, E. B. Henderson of Omaha.

WINDMILL IRRIGATION.

The question of irrigation is upon us and we must handle it with good judgement, and never shut our eyes to the practicability of it. Why one says, we cannot irrigate one-tenth of the land. What if we do not? California, one of the most advanced of our states in irrigation matters, only covers 5 per cent, of her domain with irrigation ditches. Say that every quarter section west of the 96th meridian had a reservoir that would cover an acre. If the reservoir was four feet deep it would contain 1,303,192 gallons, which is sufficient to cover 48 acres one inch deep. With the amount of rain west of the 97 meridian it would not be necessary that more than 18 or 20 inches should be used on each acre. We believe that if 5 or 6 inches were used beside the rain, it would make an average year. At that rate an acre of water of six inches used would irrigate eight acres, and would not this body of water have some good effect on the remainder of the farm. We will take a well 200 feet deep and put a windmill to it, it will raise, with a three inch cylinder seven gallons per minute, and pumping ten hours per day, it would raise 4,200 gallons and in 365 days would raise 1,543,000 gallons, or enough to fill a reservoir four feet deep and an acre in extent. It is true that there would be some waste of water by leakage and evaporation. A well of the above capacity flows enough water to irrigate four tenths of an acre per day. The underflow in the

western half of Nebraska is strong enough that most any amount of water could be raised with out any effect on the well. Also there is not a quarter section in Nebraska that properly handled would not catch a very considerable amount of surface water that other wise runs to waste each year. The state of Missouri has more pools over its surface than any other state, and this is cause for her good crops this season. When extreme dry weather comes there is some thing to cause evaporation also it has been shown what effect the cutting off of all the forests has on the rain fall. The old counties are reforesting as fast as possible. Illinois knew no drought scarcely until after she had drained all of her ponds, sloughs and swamps. The great trouble was too much rain. Tiling in Illinois has redeemed her waste lands. Now to counteract this if she continues to cut off her timber, that state will be subject to extreme conditions of dry weather and wet. We consider that Nebraska with her climate and underflow of water will in no distant day have no peer in its possibilities. A large per cent of the land north of the Platte can be irrigated by surface means of the artesian wells, and in the south country by underflow of mechanical irrigation.—Sidney Telegraph.

The only inheritance many receive from their ancestors is impure blood. Fortunately, it is in everyone's power to transmit a cleaner heritage to their posterity by the simple use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the only blood-purifier admitted at the Chicago World's Fair.

STRICTLY IN IT. The Chicago, Union Pacific and Northwestern Line offers the best accommodations to the traveling public en route to Chicago. Through trains, fast time, magnificent sleeping cars, elegant dining cars, colonist sleepers, reclining chair cars and handsome day coaches.

Studebaker Wagons at Hershey & Co's.



World's Fair HIGHEST MEDAL

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Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder

The highest award was given on every claim, comprising superiority in leavening power, keeping properties, purity and excellence. This verdict has been given by the best jury ever assembled for such a purpose, backed by the recommendation of the Chief Chemist of the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., who made an elaborate examination and test of all the baking powders. This is pre-eminently the highest authority on such matters in America.

This verdict conclusively settles the question and proves that Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is superior in every way to any other brand.

Note.—The Chief Chemist rejected the Alum baking powders, stating to the World's Fair jury that he considered them unwholesome.